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**PATENT**

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Barich, et al., U.S. Patent Application )  
No. 09/672,793 )  
Filed: September 29, 2000 )  
For: Method and Arrangement for )  
Inspection and Requalification of Vehicles )  
Used for Transporting Commodities and/or )  
Hazardous Materials )  
Examiner: C. D. Garber )  
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**AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL OFFICE ACTION**

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Sir:

In response to the non-final Office Action dated August 6, 2004, reconsideration is requested in view of the following remarks and amendments: